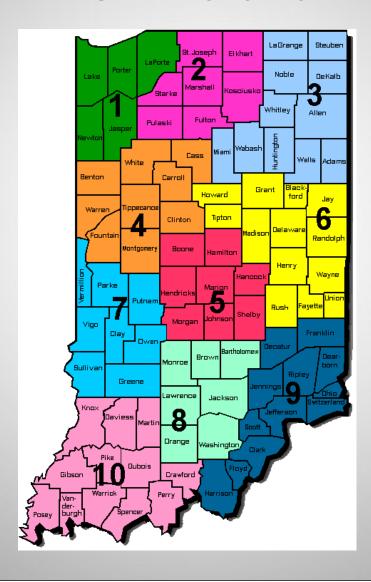
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Public Health Nurse and Immunization Conference 2010

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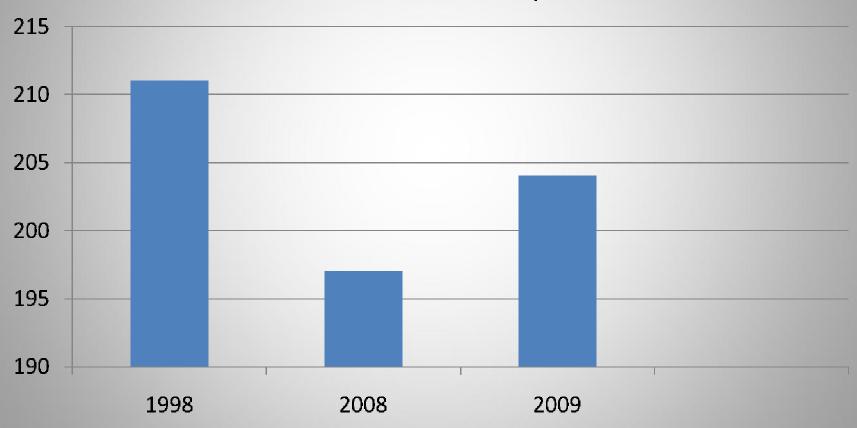


A Little Background Information on Indiana



Indiana Public Health Nurse Stats

Number of FTE PHNs Reported



Source: County Government Statistical Report, Farm Bureau, 1998, 2008, 2009

Incomplete data or data not available:

1998 2008 2009 Blackford Blackford Clark Boone • Lake Cass Blackford Marion Fulton Hendricks Orange • Lake Marion • Owen Marion Martin Parke Martin Monroe • Pike Orange Tipton Porter • Owen Vermillion • Pulaski Parke • Warren (reported with Fountain – • Pulaski shared LHD) Scott Tipton Putnam Vermillion Starke • Warren (reported w/Fountain) Warren (reported w/Fountain)

Number of PHNs per 10,000 population

Indiana's Population 2000 Census

Less the counties w/o information

PHNs per 10,000 (2009 PHNs = 204)

6,080,485

Minus 1,608,646 = 4,471,839 Average in Indiana equals 0.46 PHNs/10,000

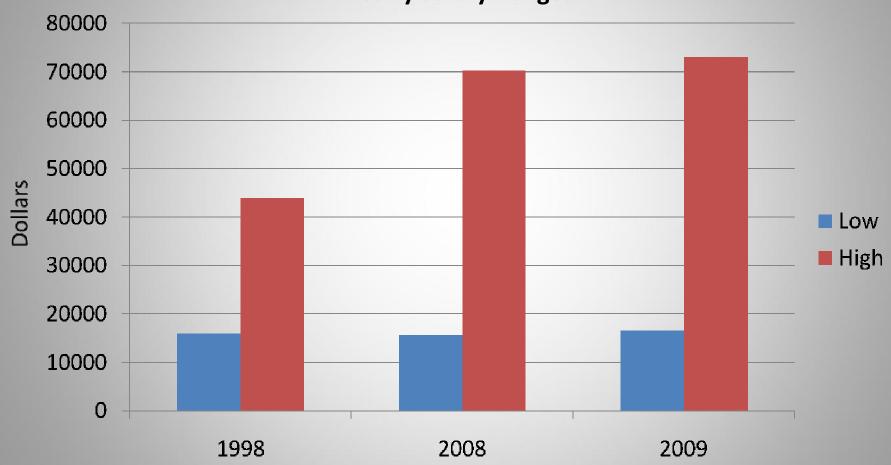
Increased Demands on PHNs in the Last 10 Years

- Huge increase in the number of childhood immunizations given
- Inclusion of refugee health
- Increased communicable disease investigations
- Preparedness planning
- And many other areas!



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- New State Health Commissioner!
- New Office of Public Health Performance Management!
- Changes in Staff!

ISDH Resources

- Office of Local Health Department Outreach
- Office of Public Health Performance Management
- Office of Public Affairs
- Immunizations
- Epidemiology Resource Center
- Lead Inspections
- Public Health and Emergency Preparedness

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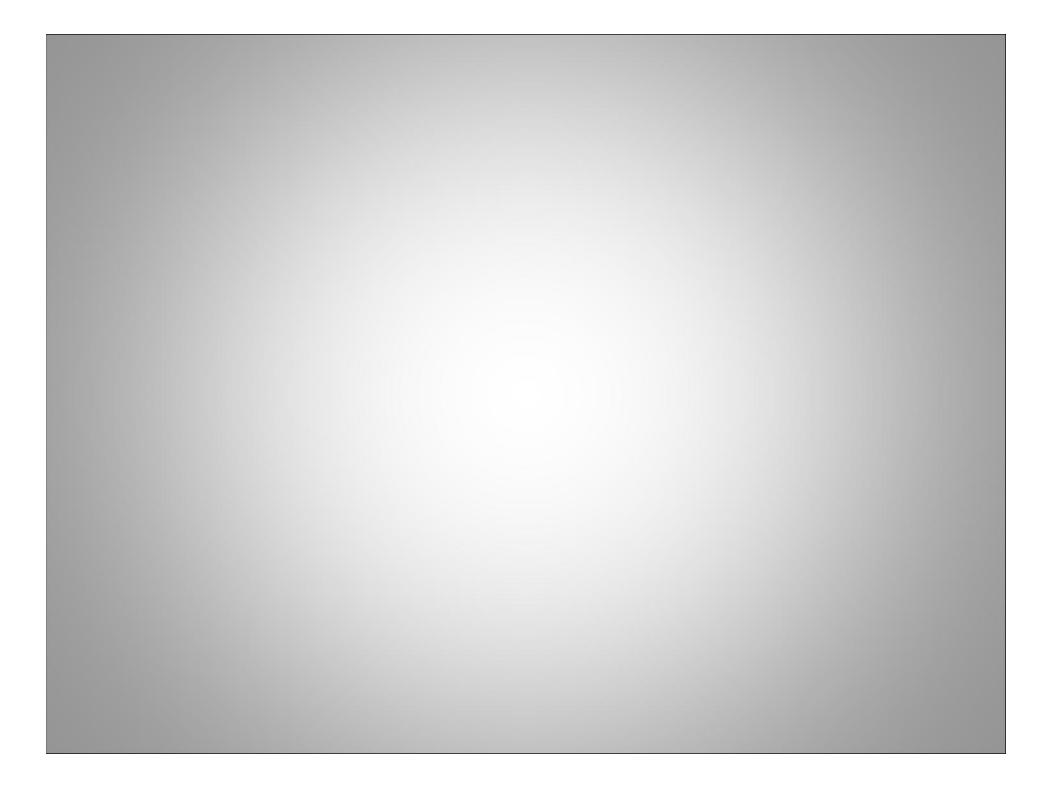
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LHD Funding Support

- \$7 million for HIV, TB, Lead, etc.
- \$60 million plus for vaccine
 - \$45 million VFC
 - \$5 million for 317
 - \$11 million additional from cigarette tax
- Local Health Maintenance Fund/Tobacco Settlement
- Preparedness dollars
- Other programs e.g. chronic disease

 This doesn't include \$140 million for WIC





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